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je10-2t MATHEW J. GAREY.

The Doctrines of Jefferson.

In these modern times, when so much is said about political platforms and party principles, it will be well to go back to the fountain head and drink of the pure waters from the wells of the Fathers. Jefferson was the Father of the Democratic party. The impress of his genius remained upon the Government long after his death. If we would see the country prosperous and the Union firmly cemented, restore to popular favor the Ideas and principles taught by the great apostle. Let every Democrat read, inwardly digest and retain in his memory the following from the inaugural of that great man:

"The essential principles of our government and those which ought to shape its administration are: Equal and exact justice to all men of whatever state or persuasion, religious or political; peace, commerce, and honest friendship with all nations—entangling alliances with none; the support of the State governments in all their rights, as the most competent administrations for our domestic concerns and the surest bulwarks against anti-republican tendencies; the preservation of the general government in its whole constitutional vigor as the sheet-anchor of our peace at home and safety abroad; a jealous care of the right of election by the people—a mild and safe corrective of abuses which are lopped off by the sword of revolution where peaceable remedies are unprovided; absolute acquiescence in the decisions of the majority—the vital principle of republics from which there is no appeal but to force, the vital principle and immediate parent of despotism; a well-disciplined militia, our best reliance in peace and for the first moments in war, till regulars may relieve them; the supremacy of the civil over the military authority; economy in the public expense that labor may be lightly burdened; the honest payment of our public debts and sacred preservation of the public faith; encouragement of agriculture and of commerce as its handmaid; the diffusion of information and the arraignment of all abuses at the bar of public reason; freedom of religion; freedom of the press; freedom of person under the protection of the habeas corpus; and trial by juries impartially selected—these principles form the bright constellation which has gone before us and guided our footsteps through an age of revolution and reformation. The wisdom of our sages and the blood of our heroes have been devoted to their attainment. They should be the creed of our political faith—the text of civil instruction—the touchstone by which to try the services of those we trust; and should we wander from them in moments of error and alarm let us hasten to retrace our steps and to regain the road which leads to peace, liberty and safety."

There is no doubt, we have sadly wandered from these principles in the last decade. There is scarcely one that we have not seen violated and trampled upon by the corrupt and reckless men who have controlled at Washington. Verily it is time for the people who have suffered them so long to retain power, to hasten to retrace their steps "and regain the road which leads to peace, liberty and safety." Four years more of Radical rule and the last vestige of the old Union will have been destroyed forever.—*Examiner.*

EQUALIZATION OF TAXES.—The following circular is addressed to Assessors and Boards of Supervisors by the State Board of Equalization:

Office of the State Board of Equalization, Sacramento, June first, 1871.—To the County Assessors and Boards of Supervisors: It is the desire of the State Board of Equalization to equalize, if possible, the assessment rolls of the respective counties of the State for the present year. This cannot be done unless your co-operation is secured, and which is most earnestly solicited, by complying with the wishes of the State Board you will aid in securing the equitable imposition of taxes among the respective counties, protect your own county from unequal taxation, and finally, it is hoped, effect a reduction of the rate of taxation, both State and county. These desired results appeal most powerfully to your public spirit. To facilitate the labors of the State Board and to carry out the provisions of the law, it is important that a copy of the assessment roll of your county should be forwarded to the State Board as early as the middle of July next, per Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express. A book for that purpose is herewith sent, per express, in which the name of the taxpayer and the amounts of assessments, and true cash value of the property, in the manner set out on the first line of the form or example herewith forewarded. Also, please give forty or fifty examples of the descriptions of the assessment of land; comprising examples of personal property, as per said form. Add up the property, as per said form. Add up the columns, and at the end of the book the Assessor will please state the value per acre placed upon each class or quality of land, and, also, state the precentum of "full cash value" at which he assessed real and personal property. For the definition of "full cash value," see the pamphlet "Rules of the State Board," etc. For the manner of making up the copy of assessment roll, see the twenty-fifth division of said rules. The labor devolved hereby upon the Assessors should be compensated; and the Boards of Supervisors are earnestly solicited to pay for the same such amount as may be reasonable and just. There is no reason at all for referring Assessors to the State for remuneration, for, if the State should pay, the amount so paid would finally have to be refunded by the counties in the shape of an increased rate of taxation.

BE A MAN.—Foolish spending is the father of poverty. Do not be ashamed of hard work. Work for the best salaries or wages you can get, but work for half price rather than be idle. Be your own master, and do not let society or fashion swallow up your individuality—hat, coat and boots. Do not eat up or wear out all that you can earn. Compel your selfish body to spare something for profits saved. Be stingy to your own appetite, but merciful to others' necessities. Help others, and ask not help for yourself. See that you are proud. Let your pride be of the right kind. Be too proud to be lazy; too proud to wear a coat you cannot keep up with in expenses; too proud to lie, or steal, or cheat; too proud to be stingy.

Separation of Napoleon and Josephine.

It was in the year 1809 when Napolean took the step which always seemed to me the beginning of his downward career. He himself read aloud the decree of his separation from the Empress; and although his voice seemed strained and unnatural, and he faltered once or twice, he read to the end, before the silent assemblage, then entered his carriage and drove to Trianon, while Josephine returned to Malmaison, which had been neglected during the years of her reign by the Emperor's side.

She murmured no more, though she had pleaded with him long and earnestly before the final step was taken by Napoleon. She had pleaded not to be cast off; it was an ill omen for him, she said, that he should take the crown from her head; his "good genius" would leave him, she warned him, if he should banish her from his side. But it was all in vain—and Josephine had spoken the truth. He was loosening the crown from his own head, when he took it from hers; and his good angel, who had averted his face when Josephine knelt helplessly before him, never smiled on Napoleon again, but departed from his side, slowly and sorrowfully—weeping that earthly grandeur and perishable greatness should so dazzle the children of men with their glitter and pomp.

Back she went, broken-hearted, to the scene of their former joys—walking slowly over the lawn his feet had trodden—resting wearily under the trees in the park, where the statues seemed to gaze on her with sorrowing brow, and the deer came to look into her face with pitying eyes.

Once only she left Malmaison. Perhaps the spacious halls seemed too narrow to hold such grief as hers; but she returned from sunny, southern countries, to find peace at last in the "Evil House." Napoleon ceased not to pay every tribute of respect to her. It was to her the first news of the birth of his son was sent; and she rejoiced with him, as she rejoiced in all the good fortune that came to him. Often he sought the shade of the willow and the cypress at Malmaison; feeling, perhaps, with unerring instinct, that his "good genius" still lingered there. —*Overland Monthly for July.*

THE CONNECTICUT LEGISLATURE.—It may be questioned whether the State of Connecticut really enjoys that Republican form of Government guaranteed by the Federal Constitution. Under an absurd old custom, representation in the State Legislature is by towns, and not by population. For example, the City of New Haven, which polls more votes than the counties of Windham and Tolland together, sends only two members to the lower house of the Legislature, while the counties mentioned elect forty-five representatives. Bridgeport, with three thousand voters, sends only one representative; while the township of Union, with less than two hundred voters, elects two members. Meridian, with over two thousand voters, elects only one representative; while the township of Marisborough, with only one hundred voters, sends one member. There have been several attempts to effect a change in the Constitution, by which representatives should be more equalized; but the small towns, which now control the Legislature by their superior numbers, have invariably defeated these efforts. The majority of the people are, therefore, completely under the control of the minority, so far as representation is concerned, and it is questionable whether such a state of affairs is not unconstitutional.—*S. F. Call.*

WONDERFUL PHENOMENON IN NEW JERSEY.—New York, June 23d. The bottom is dropping out of the State of New Jersey. In Warren County during the past few days a number of deep holes have been suddenly made by the earth sinking down into some fearful unknown subterranean depths. The first noticed was in the bottom of the Morris and Essex Canal, on the seven-mile level, between Broadway and New Village. All the water in the Canal went down the hole; then half a dozen more holes opened in the cornfields and woods, taking down into the bowels of the earth great patches of corn and even sinking trees out of sight. In addition to this there are scores of great long deep fissures. On Wednesday night another big hole opened in the Canal, crumbling noises were heard under the Methodist Church on Broadway, and nobody will venture into the building for fear it will go down. The most intense excitement prevails among the people, who deem any given spot of land in the county liable to plunge through half way to China at any moment. The price of real estate has a natural downward tendency. The Morris and Essex Canal is utterly ruined. Its course must be altogether changed, and avoid this district if it is intended to hold water enough for a sun fish to float in.

DAVIS INCORRECTLY REPORTED.—A correspondent of the New York *World* writing from Chattanooga, Tennessee, June 13th, says: I saw a private letter from Jefferson Davis to Colonel Styles, of the Alabama (Ga.) *News*, in which he complains of the manner in which his speeches at Atlanta and Agusta have been misconstrued by the Northern press. He says he never wished, directly or indirectly, to counsel the Southern people not to tolerate the situation. He thinks that they ought to wait patiently until the returning good sense of the Northern people brings about a reversal of the more obnoxious features in recent Congressional legislation. He disavows most strongly anything like a revival of armed resistance. There was one part of his Atlanta speech which was not reported. Before saying that he did not accept the situation, Mr. Davis asked any Northern reporters who might be present to take particular notice of his words, and he then said he did not desire to be understood as advising anything like disloyality to the Government.

IN many situations, residences in light-houses involves great expense, risk and inconvenience. The same may be said of beacons and buoys, which it is desirable to illuminate at night. Successful experiments at Granton, Scotland, prove that they can be illuminated by electric lights from batteries located on shore. The machinery sent 500 flashes in a minute, and of great brillancy, the transmission being under perfect control. A submarine cable was the conducting medium.

The Calamity at Pittston—A Strange Presentiment.

The Scranton (Penn.) *Republican* tells the following sad story of one of the victims of the late Pittston disaster:

"William James expired about three o'clock on the afternoon of the Tuesday following the catastrophe, and was the last added to the list of those upon whom the death angel laid his hand in the awful havoc. He was a Welshman, and had been in this country about seven months. On the morning of the dreadful day in question he had taken his breakfast and his wife had made ready his dinner and set the pail beside him. For some time he sat wrapped in thought, his arms folded, his eyes fixed vacantly upon the stove, and a deep melancholy apparently brooding over him. He was aroused from his reverie by his wife telling him that his dinner was ready, and that he would be late, as the bell had rung. He started to his feet, and gazing upon her a moment with a look of tenderness and significance, said to her, 'If I should not come back alive would you be in such a hurry getting me out?' The wife answered 'No,' but remarked that 'if he was going at all, it was time he was gone.' He lifted his pail without saying a word, and after kissing his wife, kissed his four little children, who were sitting playing on the door-step. When he had got about fifty yards from his home, he returned again, and kissed his wife and children with great fervency. His wife noticed that he was the victim of gloomy foreboding, and as he turned away she was about to entreat him not to go to work if he apprehended any danger. But hope and courage and the pressing necessities of their family overcame her intention, and she let him go. She stood in the door and watched him on his way to the fatal pit. When at the point where he turned out of her sight, he paused and cast a wistful look toward his home and little ones, and seeing his wife, waived with his hand his last adieu. He parted with his loved ones forever.

VALUE OF A SCRAP BOOK.—All who take a newspaper, which they in the least appreciate, will often regret to see any one number thrown aside for waste paper that contains some important and interesting articles. A good way to preserve these is by using a scrap book. One who has never been accustomed thus to preserve short articles can hardly estimate the pleasure it affords, to sit down and turn over the pleasant familiar pages. Here a choice piece of poetry meets the eye, which you remember you were so glad to see in the paper, but which you so long since would have lost had it not been for your scrap book. There is a witty anecdote, that does you good to laugh over, even though for the twentieth time; next a valuable recipie you have almost forgotten, and which you have found just in time to save much perplexity; there is a sweet little story, the memory of which has cheered and encouraged you many a time when almost ready to despair under life's cares and trials. Indeed you can hardly take up a paper without finding something in it. Just glance over the sheet before you, see how many valuable items it contains that would be of service to you during life. A choice thought is far more precious than a bit of glittering gold. Hoard with care the precious gems, and see at the end of the year what a rich treasure you have accumulated.

CULTIVATED FOLIAGE.—Groves of the most stately oaks in Napa county, says the *Tribune*, are growing in the fields around Calistoga Springs, giving them the appearance of an ancient English park, but close to the hotel, near the hot springs, nature has not been so lavish in her gifts. A few years ago, when the experiment was first made to supply this deficiency by setting out shade and ornamental trees around the hotel, several persons who witnessed the attempt ridiculed it, and rather commiserated the proprietor for his vain belief that trees could be made to live in soil where hot water could be reached by digging a short distance beneath the surface. The result shows, however, that the idea was a wise one. Several hundred trees—mere twigs at the time of planting—such as elm, lombard-poplar, ash, maple, walnut fir, cypress, acasia, the Calaveras big trees, and various other varieties, are now in vigorous and flourishing growth in the rich soil—some of them having attained a growth of nearly three feet at the butt—forming a little forest, and stretching aloft in luxuriance of branches and leaves at least thirty feet high. The hotel is now nearly embowered in foliage, and in a few years its density and luxuriance will be such that the trees will require to be trimmed out.

NAE STRIFE UP HERE.—It is related that an old scotch elder once had a serious dispute with his minister at an elders' meeting. He said some things that almost broke the minister's heart. Afterwards he went home, and the minister went home too.

The next morning the elder came down, and his wife said to him:

"Ye look sad, John; what is the matter with ye?"

"Ah," he replied, "Ye would look sad too, if you had such a dream as I have had. I dreamed I had been at the elder's meeting, and had said some hard things and grieved the minister; and then he died and went to heaven; and I thought afterwards I died too, and went to heaven, and when I got to the gates of heaven out came the minister, and put his hand out to me, saying: 'Come along, John, I'm happy to see ye; there's nae strife up here.'"

The elder went to the minister's directly, to beg his pardon, and found he was dead. The elder was so stricken with the blow, that two weeks afterwards he also departed. "And I should not wonder," said he who related the incident. "If he met the minister at heaven's gate, and heard him say, "Come along John, there is nae strife up here."

HASH.—It is related that a boarding house keeper in Arkansas was once disturbed by a report that his boarders were mutinous because of the too frequent appearance of hash upon the breakfast table. Accordingly he descended to breakfast the next morning, laid one portentious horse-pistol on each side of his plate at the head of the table, and said: "Any man who says he don't like hash dies. Mr. Brown," he continued, turning to the next boarder, "will you take hash?"

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The "Woolwich Infant."

This is the nickname of the 35-ton gun, which has recently been tested. *Nature* for May 18th has a notice of it, from which we condense: "That the gun is not merely a show production, as was the case with the monster Krupp cannon, but a really serviceable and efficient fire-arm, is shown by its endurance of the severe test to which it was subjected at proof. On this occasion the 700-pound projectile was thrown from the gun by the enormous charge of 180 pounds of gunpowder—the largest in fact that has ever been safely consumed in any fire-arm—the explosion being without the slightest injurious effect upon the steel bore or surrounding wrought-iron castings. The solid cylinder of iron which constituted the shot issued forth at the terrible velocity of 1,370 feet per second, and after traveling some fifty yards, buried itself in the butt of loose earth to a depth of thirty-three feet. * * * It is calculated that at a distance of fifty yards the heavy projectile would be thundered forth with such force as to penetrate fourteen and a half inches of solid iron, an armor plate such as no vessels of our present construction are enabled to carry. At two thousand yards—at upwards of a mile therfore—the shot would possess enough penetrating force to pass clean through the side of the strongest ironclad afloat. The utmost distance to which the "Woolwich Infant," as it has been nicknamed, will in all probability be capable of projecting a shell is about ten thousand yards, supposing the arm to be laid at an elevation of some thirty-three degrees. So satisfactory, indeed, has this experimental structure turned out, that a further batch of sister guns have forthwith been commenced, and will serve to arm some of our heavy iron-clads which are now building. Only a smaller number of such weapons will be carried by these vessels—two, or at the most four, apiece—and thus our modern men-of-war will present a perfect contrast to those of a dozen years ago, when a ship, being regarded merely as a box of guns, sometimes received on board as many as a hundred and thirty cannon. Nevertheless, a broadside delivered from four guns of such giant dimensions (for the whole armament being carried in turrets may be brought to bear at one time), representing almost a ton and a half of metal, very far exceeds that which an old first-class three-decker could throw into her antagonist, and would indeed be sufficient to sink most vessels at the very first discharge."

OHIO ALL RIGHT.—The Democratic State Convention of Ohio has ratified Vallandigham's platform of the new departure. As in the recent Democratic Convention of Pensylvania, so now in Ohio, there was some dissent against the unqualified acceptance of reconstruction and the three amendments to the Constitution. But in both Conventions the majority was overwhelmingly the other way, and the minority quietly yielded. The Democracy of New England, New York, New Jersey, Indiana, Missouri, and other Western States have heretofore taken the same ground. The Democrats of Kentucky have advanced nearly up to the line, while the Democratic State Committees of Tennessee and Arkansas have just adopted resolutions cordially accepting the amendments. All this unmistakably shows that the Democratic tide drifts steadily in one direction. A few northern malperheads and Southern Secessionists will continue to make unavailing efforts to stem it; and if they hold out till the Presidential campaign is opened, and the Democracy then present a sound candidate on that platform, the defection of these malignants will be made up, ten times over, by independent Republicans who will aid the progressive Democrats in driving the open and secret friends of the Lost Cause from their last ditch. On such an issue, the rallying cry of the Democracy should be: "A fair field, a square fight and no quarter."—*N. Y. Sun.*

GOOD ADVICE.—William Wirt's letter to his daughter on the "small sweet courtesies of life," contains a passage from which a great deal of happiness might be learned: "I want to tell you a secret. The way to show yourself pleasant to others is to show them attention. The whole world is like the Miller at Mansfield, 'who cared for nobody—no, not he, because nobody cared for him.' And the whole world would serve you so if you gave them the cause. Let every one see that you do care for them by showing them what Sterne so happily calls the small courtesies, in which there is no parade, whose voice is too still to tease, and which manifest themselves by tender and affectionate looks and little acts of attention, giving others the preference in every little enjoyment, at the table, in the field, walking, sitting or standing."

PAPER PAILS AND PANS.—At the Pioneer Broom Factory, No. 57 K street, Sacramento, a novel article of domestic use has been received from the East, viz: paper-ware water and milk pails, and milk pans manufactured out of paper, and covered with a composition varnish which makes them easy to clean. The pans are not liable to injury by breakage or denting through falling, cannot leak, and will outlast a number of tin pans. The pails are much lighter than those of wood, so strong that they can be kicked about for an indefinite period without great injury; and as they have no hoops or staves, can be left standing in the sun without falling to pieces. The ware has been tested with hot and cold water, and even steam, and has stood the test satisfactorily.

CHANGES DERING A LIFETIME.—Mrs. Lucas, widow of the late Governor Lucas, gave a party at Iowa City, Iowa, on the 25th ult., the seventy-sixth anniversary of her birthday. The *Republican* says: "There were present children, and grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, four generations, ranging from boyhood to old age, the hostess appearing the happiest of them all. Mrs. Lucas' long life has been an eventful one. She came to Iowa past middle life, her husband the commissioned Governor of this new Territory, but little of which had been reclaimed from the savages. She has lived to see it developed into this great and rappidly growing State, of a million and a quarter of people, holding a position second to no equal number on the face of the earth."

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COUNTY AND TOWN OFFICIAL PAPER.

WOODLAND, CAL.:

Saturday, July 1st, 1871.

Democratic Nominations.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

Representative in Congress—Third District,
GEORGE PEARCE, of Sonoma.

STATE TICKET.

Governor.....HENRY H. HAIGHT
Lieutenant-Governor.....EDWARD J. LEWIS
Judges Supreme Court.....{JACKSON TEMPLE, SELDEN S. WRIGHT
Secretary of State.....W. B. C. BROWN
State Controller.....R. O. DeWITT
Treasurer.....A. F. CORONEL
Attorney-General.....JO. HAMILTON
Surveyor-General.....J. W. BOST
State Printer.....JOHN T. BARRY
Sup. Pub. Instr'n.....O. P. FITZGERALD
Clerk Sup. Court.....THOMAS LESPEYER
State Harbor Commiss'r.....I. FRIEDLANDER

COUNTY TICKET.

Assemblyman.....D. B. SUTTON
County Judge.....ED. ROBERTS
Sheriff.....JAMES P. BULLOCK
County Clerk.....B. C. LAWSON
District Attorney.....J. C. BALL
County Treasurer.....A. C. KEAN
County Surveyor.....J. I. UNDERHILL
Public Administrator.....E. R. BUSH
Co. Sup't. Com. Schools.....W. H. EDWARDS
County Assessor.....J. J. AMMONS
Coroner.....D. C. EDSON

A CALIFORNIA VOLCANO.—Black Mountain, in Plumas county, is reported to be in a state of volcanic eruption. Lava is thrown thirty feet up in the air.

MODEL LEGISLATOR.—A negro legislator in Louisiana, charged with a breach of decorum, called for a count of the house to see if "de korum" was present.

STRANGE COINCIDENCE.—The Boston *Transcript* notes the coincidence that the Custom-Houses in Boston and New York were both struck by lightning on a recent Sunday.

REGISTER.—The attention of voters is called to the matter of registering their names, if not already registered. Parties who are registered in other counties have no time to lose.

VON SCHMIDT.—The dam at the outlet of Lake Tahoe is nearly completed, and Colonel Von Schmidt will commence the great tunnel through the Sierra Nevada in a few days.

THE RAILROAD NORTH.—Some thirty men are working on the railroad bridge at Red Bluff, and it will probably be finished by the middle of August. The Red Bluff papers say the railroad will reach that point by the first of October.

SARGENT RENOMINATED.—Hon. A. A. Sargent, the politico-woman suffrage advocate, has been renominated for Congress in the Second District. If Coffroth doesn't "walk away" with Mr. Sargent and all his isms we shall miss our calculation.

ANOTHER BUTLER.—Private Washington letters say George Butler, Consul to Egypt, is recalled on account of his mercenary, dishonest and immoral practices, which have given scandal to many of his countrymen. He is General Butler's nephew.

SILK.—Isaac N. Hoag has just received the first order for State grown silk to be reeled into filature at the factory erected at South San Francisco. Three hundred and fifty pounds of silk in the cocoon were received from Sacramento, June 14th, and is now in progress of reeling.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR STATE PRINTER.—From the *Appeal* we learn that the successful candidate for printer at the Republican State Convention had formed a combination with John H. Carmany of the *Overland Magazine*, and the proprietors of the Sacramento *Record*, the "right-hand railroad organ."

OHIO.—The New York *Herald* thinks the present Ohio canvass is likely to result in a victory for the Democracy, and adds: The contest has been very close there for the past four years in all State elections, and in the flush of its new birth, as we may call it, Democracy will find a great advantage over the time worn issues of the Republicans."

OUR CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES. Nominations have been made by the Democracy in the three Congressional Districts—in the First District, Hon. Lawrence Archer, County Judge of Santa Clara; Second District Hon. J. W. Coffroth, of Sacramento; Third District, George Pearce, Esq., of Sonoma—all good and true men, and all will be triumphantly elected.

THE TICKET.—Even the Sacramento *Bee* is compelled to acknowledge that the Democratic State ticket is a strong one. In a late issue that paper said, "let us attempt to disuise it as we may, the Democratic State ticket is not a weak one." The *Bee* will find it so strong that Radicalism and all the other isms combined will not be more than a respectable minority against it.

THE LAST ACT.—James Evrard, a pioneer actor and old resident of San Francisco, died in Alameda on the 20th ult. We well remember him as a prominent actor in San Francisco in 1850, and he followed up that profession for several years after. For several years after leaving the stage Mr. Evrard had occupied a place on the police force of the city, but for about three years before his death kept an auction house on California street. The 20th inst. closed the drama of life with him and the curtain has dropped after the last act. He was a whole-souled and good man.

OUR CANDIDATES.

The Democratic party of California has put forth a ticket embracing the names of men well known throughout all the borders of the State as men of sterling worth and integrity, a majority of them having been tried in office, found honest and capable, and hence they are entrusted with the same positions again by the unanimous voice of the Democracy. Those who have not heretofore been tried were selected with especial reference to their fitness for the positions to which they aspire, from Governor all the way down. The distribution of the offices to candidates from all portions of the State and from all classes of citizens was likewise well considered and judiciously managed, so that no portion of the State has cause for complaint on that score. From all quarters comes up an unqualified endorsement of the whole ticket.

Our county ticket is also made and is now before the people. It will bear the closest scrutiny from beginning to end. There will be time enough after our opponents have brought forward their chosen candidates for county officers, to particularize. But from the names of which our ticket is composed, legislative, judicial, and for the various county offices, we do not fear comparison, but rather court it, with any that can be named against them. On Saturday next the County Convention of our political opponents occurs, for nominating county officers. Then each will know who is pitted against him, on either side, and soon thereafter the contest will necessarily wage vigorously. Though we have a majority in the county, it is not well to feel over confident—that alone may lose us the county. There is a great deal of work to be done before election day, and on our side notes of preparation for the field are already heard. We trust that our opponents will pick out their best men, as we desire that in this contest our standard bearers may have men to cope with who are "worthy of their steel." Let every Democrat work with all the energy he possesses, and the success of the whole Democratic will be assured.

PROPER ACTION.—The Sacramento *Reporter* has acted so perfidiously heretofore that the Democracy had lost all confidence in it and looked upon the concern as an enemy to the party. But having carried its game too far by openly repudiating the unanimous nominee of the State Convention for Governor, the Democratic County Central Committee of Sacramento June 24th, passed the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we the members of the Democratic Central Committee of the County of Sacramento, hereby condemn and disapprove the course of the State Capital *Reporter* as a Democratic organ, and in consequence thereof, do hereby recommend that the patronage of the party be with drawn from that journal.

Resolved, That we farther request and demand that said State Capital *Reporter* shall discontinue the publication of the Democratic ticket as an advertisement.

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Democratic Central Committee is hereby instructed to publish these resolutions and order said ticket from the advertising columns of the aforesaid paper.

R. D. STEPHENS,
Chairman Dem. Co. Central Committee.
WM. B. HAMILTON, Secretary.

TROUBLE WITH MINERS.—Difficulty has existed for some time past between the workmen and the owners of some of the deep quartz mines in Amador county, the men demanding higher wages than their employers were willing to pay, and falling in their demands stopped work, drove the engineers from the pumps, and the mines began to fill with water, which, if not stopped would involve the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars. The proprietors called for aid upon the Sheriff, who was powerless to deal with hundreds of armed miners, and in this emergency Governor Haight was applied to for protection. The Governor went as soon as possible and had a personal interview with the miners; but they were still determined to hold out and stop all work. About one hundred soldiers were then sent forward to enforce the laws for the protection of property. Fortunately no collision occurred, and at last accounts work was going on under the protection of the troops.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.—The Radical State Convention held at Sacramento this week, nominated the following persons to be voted for by the faithful at the ensuing election: For Governor, Newton Booth, of Sacramento; Lieut. Governor, Romualdo Pacheco, of Los Angeles; Secretary of State, Drury Melone, of San Francisco; For Supreme Judges, A. C. Niles, of Nevada, short term, and A. L. Rhodes, of Santa Clara, for the long term; Controller, James J. Green, of Marin; Treasurer, F. Baehr, of San Francisco; Surveyor General, Robert Gardner, of Humboldt; Attorney General, John Lord Love, of San Francisco; Clerk of Supreme Court, Grant T. Taggart, of Shasta; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Professor Bolander of San Francisco; For State Printer, T. A. Springer, of the Amador *Ledger*; Harbor Commissioner, John A. McGlynn, of San Francisco.

HONEST CONFESSION.—The Santa Barbara *Press*, Radical, pays the following deserved compliment to Governor Haight's administration, and, perhaps unwittingly concedes his reelection. The *Press* says: "The nomination of Governor Haight by acclamation must have been a sore trial to his persistent traducers. While hoping for the election of Selby or Booth, we feel certain that in the event of a Democratic triumph, Governor Haight's second term will eclipse his first, and that the great interests of the State will be conscientiously administered."

SUBSIDING.—The overflow at New Orleans has almost entirely ceased.

Never! No, Never!

General Sherman permits some one of his abject toadies to urge him, in the name of the great American people, to become the next Democratic candidate for the Presidency. Then General Sherman, finding that "countless thousands" of Democrats, or, at all events, at least one Democrat, cannot exist without him in that presidential chair, suddenly remembers the fate of Grant, who descended from the highest military position known to our laws, to become about the smallest President we have ever been afflicted with. General Sherman accordingly declines, preemptorily and furiously, the great honor he has caused to be offered to himself, and declares that even if elected he will not accept the office. The General remembers also, that when a candidate presents himself for such a high office, his antecedents are raked from the temporary oblivion into which they had fallen, and all a man's early failings become the food for critical tongues and the subject matter of invidious comment. He does not forget that on another occasion he declined an office, or, rather, he resigned a General's position in the very face of battle. In 1856, when Governor J. Neely Johnson went down to San Francisco to quell the Vigilance Committee, his principal General was this same Sherman, who was at first rampant to destroy the Vigilantes until he ascertained that the twenty-nine men composing that organization had made such preparations as would render a conflict a thing of *danger!* Then suddenly, when the people of the whole State were waiting for the grand and terrible crash of the opening battle, this military chieftain and statesman "declined" the position of Commander of State troops, and ingloriously retired to the safety of private life. He has never since that critical time been in any position of real danger, and he has never in his life perceived the difference between a temporary office and one like his present military appointment, which gives a life office with almost despotic power. And for this delusion of this very dubious proffer of a nomination for the Presidency, the Radical journals are lauding Sherman to the skies, and affecting to believe that such a thing were possible as the nomination of such a man by the Democratic party. They do not believe any such thing any more than Sherman himself believes it, for they well know that this military chieftain could not be elected to the Presidency even on his own Radical ticket. From the peremptory tone of the General's refusal, the popularity of that refusal with the public, and all the circumstances, it is safe to suspect that he will never be President and will never resign his present life office, unless forced by some impending danger.

BOOTH NOMINATED.—Notwithstanding the bitter opposition to Booth by a portion of the Radical party, particularly in San Francisco, he was nominated for Governor at the Republican State Convention by acclamation. He is recognized as an anti-subsidy man by the rank and file of his party. But the great strength Selby has shown in San Francisco and around the Bay, proves that Booth is very unpopular there, and the natural conclusion is that he will poll but a light vote in the metropolis. Since this fact has become apparent we have concluded that Booth will be easier to beat than Selby would have been, for while Haight did carry a portion of that delegation, and is very popular with the working classes, Booth is comparatively unknown. And as the vote of San Francisco will probably controll the election we look for an easy and sweeping victory. In the country we know Haight is all right.

RADICAL ROW AT SACRAMENTO.—A Sacramento paper contains this account of the way in which one wing of the party attempted to control the other at Sacramento:

Yesterday evening H. M. Blumenthal, one of the San Francisco delegates to the Republican State Convention, was beaten terribly in the alley adjoining Ebner's Hotel, on K street, between Front and Second. His assailant is reported to have been a fellow-delegate, also of San Francisco. The cause of the assault and terrible battery is said to be that Blumenthal was sent here as a Selby delegate, but in the caucus held last evening he announced that he was in favor of Booth. This was regarded as a case of "sell-out" by some of Blumenthal's confreres, and the beating resulted in consequence. The injured man is said to be in a dangerous condition, and will have to appear by proxy in the Convention to-day. The proceeding is generally denounced by the respectable men of both factions.

THE CHEAPEST MUSIC.—Music can no longer be considered a luxury, and those who spend fabulous sums in purchasing Sheet Music are simply throwing their money away. If your musical friends will take the trouble to procure a copy of *Peters' Musical Monthly*, they will see what their wiser friends are doing—namely getting better Music at one and two cents a piece than they are buying at thirty, forty, and fifty cents. Each number of this valuable publication contains thirty-six pages of Music, printed from full size music-plates, embracing Sacred and Secular Songs, Duets, Choruses, Polkas, Waltzes, etc., in every issue. The July number commences Volume VIII, and contains thirteen pieces of Music, neatly bound, that would cost just four dollars and fifty cents in sheet-form. You can get it by mail, postpaid, by sending thirty cents to J. L. Peters, 399 Broadway, Yew York.

THE FIRST WHEAT.—The first wheat of the season was sent to San Francisco from Vaca Station. It was of inferior quality.

EXPERIMENTS in the army bakery in Washington, show that 802. one-pound loaves of bread can be made from a barrel of flour.

Jurisprudence Extraordinary.

We have recently a most extraordinary decision from Secretary Boutwell, who, by the way, is not a judicial officer and has no more right to make such a decision than has any unofficial citizen. It appears (quoting from a loyal newspaper), that "the exclusive right to kill the fur seal in the islands of St. George and St. Paul, in Alaska, is vested in Hutchinson, Kohl & Co., by Act of Congress; the only exception being in favor of the natives," etc. Some poor wretch, trading along the coast of Alaska, purchased forty of these seal skins, and immediately the enterprising firm of Hutchinson, Kohl & Co., caused his arrest and the detention of the furs. Poor as the small trader was, he caused the matter to be investigated by Secretary Boutwell. This high-toned Secretary considered himself as fully authorized to transform himself into a judicial officer as was "Congress" to pass a law granting such a monopoly. His decision after a lengthy review of the case, concludes with the order: "You are hereby directed to deliver the property to the claimant, on his paying any expenses which may have been incurred on account of the seizure, and his waiving all right to legal proceedings in consequence thereof"—or, in plain words, this Judicial Secretary, holding a trial under a law clearly passed in violation of the Constitution, says to the prisoner: "You are not guilty of the offense charged against you, but you must pay the costs of the prosecution and you must also promise not to try to use your legal right to collect damages from those who have wronged you." Is the Honorable Secretary going to wipe out the Constitution of the United States and substitute a code of jurisprudence taken from the beautiful systems of Russia and Mexico? It looks like it, and there is not a shadow of doubt but that he has violated the laws and equities of every civilized country in the world. President Grant is an admirer of the Prussian system; but it seems that his Secretary, while equally full of admiration for a despotic monarchy, prefers the superior systems of Russia and Mexico! Where will these Radicals halt in their violation of the laws and their encroachments upon the rights of the people? Will they halt at all? Or will they go on until an outraged people, deprived of all law, rise upon them and use force to eject them from the positions they defile?

DR. H. T. HELMBOLD is the most liberal patron of the press in the world, and when he is backed by a remedy offered to suffering humanity that is really excellent in all that he claims for it, there is no wonder that the newspapers praise the maker and his remedy. He has not a stingy bone, or is there a place for stinginess in his body. It is all soul, and his millions are used to scatter blessings wherever he goes. His money for the poor is as free as his Buchu, there seems to be no end to his charity. He deserves the immense success he has attained by the free use of printer's ink, and it is a great pity the world is not full of such men, but unfortunately for the world, he stands alone in his place.

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The Members of Woodland
HOOK AND LADDER CO., NO. 1,
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FOR THEIR BENEFIT
On July Fourth, 1871,
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Tickets, (including supper) - - - - - $3 00
Supper at the Capital Hotel.
☞ A general invitation is extended to all.

Probate Notice.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY GADDIS, deceased; In the Probate Court, of the County of Yolo, State of California.

It appearing to the Court by the petition presented and filed by ANN GADDIS, the Administratrix of the estate of Henry Gaddis, deceased, praying for an order to sell real estate, that it is necessary to sell a portion of the real estate to pay the debts outstanding against the deceased and the expenses and charges of administration,

It is therefore ordered by the Court that all persons interested in the said estate appear before the said Probate Court on

Monday, the 31st day of July, 1871,

At one o'clock P. M. on said day, at the Court Room of said Probate Court, in the Town of Woodland, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said Administratrix to sell so much of the real estate of the deceased as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the YOLO DEMOCRAT.

JAMES JOHNSON,
Probate Judge.

Attest—A True Copy.
[L.S.]
E. BYNUM, Clerk,
By J. L. SIMPSON, Deputy. jy1-5t

Probate Notice.

IN THE PROBATE COURT of the County of Yolo and State of California; in the matter of the Estate of HARVEY B. RICE, deceased.

MARY E. RICE, Administratrix of said estate having filed in this Court her petition for the sale of real estate of said estate, and it appearing from said petiton that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion thereof.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate be and appear before this Court

On the 5th day of August, A. D. 1871,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Court House in Woodland, to show cause if any they have why said order should not be granted, and that the Clerk of this Court cause a copy of this order to be published for the period of four successive weeks in the YOLO DEMOCRAT, a newspaper published in said county.

Dated June 27th, 1871.

JAMES JOHNSON,
Probate Judge.

Attest—A True Copy.
[L.S.]
E. BYNUM, Clerk,
By J. L. SIMPSON, Deputy. jy1-5t

BORN.

Near Buckeye, Yolo County, June 23d, to the wife of Wm. Sims a Son.

New Advertisements.

$22,000 GOLD COIN,
IN 231 PRIZES.

GRAND GIFT CONCERT AND BALL, Given by SAN JOAQUIN ENGINE COMPANY No. 3, Stockton Fire Department, for the purpose of purchasing themselves and for the benefit of the city, a No. 1 Steam Fire Engine, and the necessary apparatus, on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12th, 1871,
—AT—
MOZART HALL,
In the City of Stockton, California.

20,000 Tickets in All.

TICKETS $2 GOLD COIN each, each Ticket entitling the holder to admission to the Concert and Ball.

Treasurer:
STOCKTON SAVINGS & LOAN SOCIETY,
With whom all moneys will be deposited, and by whom all disbursements will be made.

That the Managers are gentlemen of well-known standing and integrity, the following will testify:

STOCKTON, California, May 24th, 1871.

The undersigned are well acquainted with the managers of the "San Joaquin Engine Company Gift Concert," and are fully satisfied that their plan of raising the necessary means to purchase a No. 1 Steam Fire Engine and the necessary apparatus, will be honestly carried out as advertised and the money devoted to the intended purpose, and we therefore recommend it to the favorable consideration of the public.

E S HOLDEN, Mayor of Stockton.
GEO. S EVANS, ex-Mayor of Stockton.
J H O'BRIEN, Merchant.
MELVILLE COTTLE, U. S. Land Register.
THOS. CUNNINGHAM, ex-Chief Engineer Stockton Fire Department.
R W BOURS, Cashier San Joaquin Valley Bank.
HON. N M ORR, State Senator.
JOHN SEDGWICK, U. S. Revenue Collector.
J M KELSEY, President Savings and Loan Society.
S T NYE, Late U. S Land Register.
PH. ROHRBACHER, Chief Engineer Fire Department.
JOHN NICHOLS, Merchant.

During the Entertainment
$22,000 Dollars in Gold Coin,
Consisting of 321 Gifts,

Will be returned to the holders of Tickets by distribution by chance of the following Prizes:

1 Gift Gold Coin	$5,000
1 Gift Gold Coin	3,000
1 Gift Gold Coin	2,000
1 Gift Gold Coin	1,000
1 Gift Gold Coin	800
1 Gift Gold Coin	600
1 Gift Gold Coin	400
1 Gift Gold Coin	300
1 Gift Gold Coin	210
20 Gifts Gold Coin, $100 each	2,000
20 Gifts Gold Coin, $50 each	1,000
25 Gifts Gold Coin, $30 each	750
247 Gifts Gold Coin, $20 each	4,940
321 Gifts, amounting to	$22,000

The Drawing will be under the management of a Joint Committee of the officers of the Company and other and known responsible citizens of Stockton, California, and the Gifts will be awarded in precisely the same manner as the Mercantile Library Lottery of San Francisco.

Persons at a distance can obtain tickets by sending checks on any of the Stockton Banks, or coin by Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express.

☞ A liberal percentage will be allowed to purchasers of Fifty or more Tickets, payable either in Tickets or Coin.

BOARD OF MANAGERS:

FRANK SEILNACHT, PHIL. ROHRBACHER,
FRED. YOST, EUGENE LEHE,
JAS. MOWBRAY, R. ECLESTON,
JOHN QUINN.

All orders should be addressed to
EUGENE LEHE,
Sec'y and Gen'l Business Agent,
Stockton, California.

A MOGER (Hunter House), agent for Woodland. jy1-1d

COTSWOLD RAMS.

The undersigned has four fine Rams for sale, they are half-blood Cotswold and half-blood Spanish Merino, about two years old and in very good condition. Sheep-holders wishing to improve their sheep with the Cotswold grade will do well to examine them before they purchase elsewhere. They may be seen two miles northwest of Cacheville, at the place of the undersigned.

jy1-2m CHRISTIAN BUOB.

A GOOD CHANCE
—AT THE—
"EAST END"
GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE,
STAMP & FRIGGENS
PROPRIETORS.

Groceries and Provisions
OF ALL KINDS:

FRESH BUTTER,
SUGARS, TEAS,
COFFEE, CANDIES,
SHELL COCOA, &c, &c.
Good fresh Cider Vinegar kept constantly on hand.
KEROSENE OIL,
LAMP CHIMNEYS,
CIGARS, TOBACCO,
SYRUPS of the finest kind.
CHEESE,
PICKLES,
FLOUR,
CHOCOLATE,
SOAPS, and a variety of other articles.
SUMMER AND FALL FRUITS

Will be brought fresh from Mrs. Weed's Orchard on the Sacramento River, which will be sold at the Lowest Prices.

Country Produce!

Highest market price paid in Cash or Trade for Eggs and Butter.

Will keep constantly on hand Fresh Vegetables of all kinds. ☞ Store under Masonic Hall. When you want to buy your Groceries enquire for STAMP & FRIGGENS' Store, where we are on hand to wait on our friends with pleasure.

All goods will be delivered free of charge within the Town limits.

jel0-3m STAMP & FRIGGENS.

NEW VEGETABLE STAND.

We have just opened a Vegetable Stand on Main street, in the Flanders building, a short distance East of the Hunter House. Our wagon will be run constantly to and from our garden on the Sacramento River and thus enable us to keep on hand a

CONSTANT SUPPLY
—OF—
FRESH VEGETABLES,
Of the finest quality.

The citizens of Woodland and vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine our Vegetables and our Prices. Special attention is invited to our Potatoes. Farmers will find it to their interest to buy of us.

J. T. & MARCUS BAKER.
Woodland, June 22d, 1871. je24-tf

To the Ladies of Woodland and Vicinity.

Rag Carpet Manufactory.

The undersigned wishes to inform the public that he has just established himself in Woodland, and is prepared to weave Rag Carpets for all who want them.

PRICES.

I will weave Carpets for 50 cents per yard for fancy patterns, and 40 cents per yard for plain, and furnish the warp myself; if parties furnish the warp, from 20 to 30 cents per yard.

Flannel wove, cotton warp, 25 cts. per yard. Orders left at Porter's store.

ap14-3m THOMAS McCANNA.

New Advertisements.

Purify the Blood and Beautify the Complexion

—BY USING—

HELMBOLD'S

Catawba Grape-Juice Pills,

—AND—

HELMBOLD'S

Highly Concentrated

Fluid Extract Sarsaparilla.

This is the time to use good blood-renewing, purifying, and invigorating medicines.

HELMBOLD'S FLUID EXTRACT
SARSAPARILLA
AND
HELMBOLD'S
FLUID EXTRACT
Grape-Juice Pills

ARE THE BEST AND MOST RELIABLE.

One bottle of Helmbold's Fluid Extract Sarsaparilla equals in strength one gallon of the syrup or decoction as made by druggists; and a wine-glass added to a pint of water equals the celebrated Lisbon Diet Drink—a delightful and healthful beverage.

The Grape-Juice Pill is composed of Fluid Extract of Catawba Grape-Juice and

FLUID EXTRACT RHUBARB.

Useful in all diseases requiring a cathartic remedy, and far superior to all other purgatives, such as salts, magnesia, etc.

Helmbold's Grape-Juice Pill

Is not a patented pill, put up as those ordinarily vended, but the result of TEN YEARS' experimenting and

GREAT CARE IN PREPARATION.

SAFE FOR AND TAKEN BY CHILDREN.

No Nausea; no Griping Pains, but mild, pleasant, and safe in operation.

Two bottles of the extract of

SARSAPARILLA

And one bottle of the

GRAPE-JUICE PILLS

Are worth their weight in gold to those suffering from

Bad Blood,
Poor Complexion,
Headache,
Nervousness,
Wakefulness at Night,
Costiveness,
And Irregularities.

And to those suffering from broken and delicate Constitutions, it will give new blood, new vigor, and new life.

The Catawba Grape Pills,

Are done up with great care and in handsome bottles, and will surpass all those vended in wooden boxes, and carelessly prepared by inexperienced men, comparing with the English and French style of manufacturing.

ALL OF

H. T. HELMBOLD'S

PREPARATIONS

ARE PHARMACEUTICAL,

NOT A SINGLE ONE BEING PATENTED,

BUT ALL ON THEIR OWN MERITS.

PREPARED BY

H. T. HELMBOLD,

Practical and Analytical Chemist,

Crystal Palace Pharmacy,

594 Broadway, New York.

HELMBOLD'S

Fluid Extract Buchu

HAS GAINED

A WORLD-WIDE FAME.

Sold by Druggists

EVERYWHERE.

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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the order of the District Court of the Sixth Judicial District, in and for the County of Yolo, State of California, made on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1871, in the cause entitled CAPITAL SAVINGS BANK *versus* W. A. JOHNSON, I will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in U. S. Gold Coin,

On Saturday, the 8th day of July, 1871,

In front of the Court House in the Town of Woodland, County aforesaid, at the hour of One o'clock P. M., all that certain property situated in the Town of Davisville, County and State aforesaid, known and described as follows, to wit: Lot number 15 of Block 9 of Range E, with its appurtenances. Said lot fifty feet front on OAK Street, by a depth of one hundred and twenty feet; said lot being marked and designated on the map of the Town of Davisville, now on record in the Recorder's office of Yolo County.

Dated—Woodland, Yolo County, California, June 5th, 1871.

je10-5t J. P. BULLOCK, Sheriff.

Summons.

IN THE UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, for the San Francisco District, San Francisco, California.

The people of the United States to CHAS. P. GREY, Greeting:

You are hereby summoned to appear before us, at our Office in the City of San Francisco, on FRIDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., to contest the claim of the Western Pacific Railroad Company, averring your claim to the northeast quarter of Section No. 5, Township 7 north, of Range 3 east, to be unjust and illegal; and then and there do you show cause, if any there be, why the claim of said Railroad Company shall not be recognized as just and legal.

Given under our hands, this 7th day of June, A. D., 1871.

H. G. ROLLINS, Register.
je17-5t C. H. CHAMBERLAIN, Receiver.

Notice of Prior Claim.

NOTICE is hereby given that the "CLEAR LAKE WATER WORKS COMPANY" hereby claim by priority of location, use and appropriation, the first right to the use of the water running in Cache Creek and its tributaries in Lake and Yolo counties, for the purposes of irrigation, supplying cities, towns and villages with said water, and also for motive and mining purposes; said use and appropriation to be exercised as circumstances may require, either by using said water as it naturally flows in said creek and its tributaries, or, diverting the same or increasing its volume in such mode as may be deemed requisite.

JOHN BENSLEY, Pres't.
L. B. BENCHLEY, Secretary.
Dated—Cache Creek, May 29th, 1871. j3-5t

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Edmund Weed, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned, at the office of FROST & BUSH, Main street, Woodland.

Dated—June 17th, 1871.

C. H. GRAY,
C. S. FROST, } Executors.
je17-5t

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of George W. Griffith, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned, or his Attorneys, FROST & BUSH, Woodland, California.

Woodland, June 8th, 1871.

je10-5t FREDERIC MIER, Administrator.

A. C. RUGGLES. T. B. REINDOLLAR.

RUGGLES & REINDOLLAR,

Dealers in all kinds of

Drugs,
Medicines,
Paints,
Oils,
Glass,
Brushes,
Perfumery,

And everything found in a

First-Class Drug Store.

Physicians' Prescriptions

ACCURATELY COMPOUNDED,
Day or night, by

T. B. REINDOLLAR,

APOTHECARY.

Postoffice Building,

ap28-3m Woodland.

C. S. FROST,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Real Estate and Insurance Agent.

—ALL KINDS OF—

REAL ESTATE

Bought and sold on Commission!

Town Property, Homesteads and Farms for Sale.

☞ HOUSES TO RENT. ☜

Revenue Stamps for Sale. Greenbacks Bought and Sold! Loans Negotiated on Reasonable Terms!

Agent for Union Insurance Co.

Office—First Door East of Bank,
MAIN STREET,
ap16 WOODLAND. [3m

M. PETERSON,

HOUSE, SIGN AND

Ornamental Painter,
MAIN STREET, WOODLAND.
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Stage Line

To Cacheville, Cache Creek and BUCKEYE,

CARRYING U. S. MAILS AND EXPRESS.

The Stage for Cache Creek and Buckeye leaves Woodland at 8 o'clock M. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

For Cacheville, Stage leaves Woodland daily—Monday, Wednesday and Friday on arrival of the Cars; Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 8 o'clock A. M.

Returns from all points same day.

oc2-tf A. S. HOUSE, Proprietor.

WOODLAND MARKET.

Beef, Mutton,
Pork, Veal,
Sausages, Salt Meats, etc.,

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

☞ A share of public patronage respectfully solicited. Meats delivered, free of charge.

Fresh Lard and Tallow for sale.

my16-3m ASBERRY & LAMBERT.

THE YOLO DEMOCRAT.

Agents for the Yolo Democrat.

L. SAMUEL, No. 70 J street, is authorized to solicit advertisements and subscriptions for this paper in Sacramento.

THOMAS BOWER, L. P. FISHER and W. B. LAKE are authorized agents of this paper at San Francisco.

HUDSON & MENET, 41 Park Row, and Geo. P. Rowell & Co., 41 Park Row, are our authorized agents in New York.

HUDSON, MENET & GAY, are our agents at Chicago.

LOCAL AGENTS:

D. B. GOODE.....Agent at Large.
J. J. AMMONS.....do do
R. R. DARBY.....do do
HARLING, WELCH & Co.....Cottonwood.
A. W. SNOWBALL.....Knight's Landing.
A. J. HALL.....Cacheville.
JUDGE J. ONEAL.....Davisville.
W. M. GREEN.....Washington.

Town and County Matters.

A CAT-ASTROPHE.—A good joke was played upon our County Treasurer the other day, who is a very nervous man, and whose singular antipathy to cats amounts to a positive weakness. An attache of the Sheriff's office, who delights in practical jokes, told a few boys that the Treasurer was desirous of gathering up all the cats that could be spared from the corporation, in order to send them below to a friend there in the fur business, and that if they would deliver the cats at the office of the Treasurer at a certain hour on Thursday (fixing at car-time), they would receive liberal compensation per head. Stimulated by these promises the boys began the operation of catching cats, and so industriously did they work that at the appointed time they appeared with three sacks full of the feline quadrupeds. Of course the perpetrator of the joke was on hand to receive them, and closing the windows to prevent their escape, he turned the whole lot loose in the Treasurer's office, closed the door, and with several others waited on the outside for the officer's return. Soon that smiling functionary appeared, on his return from a visit to the "kears," his thoughts filled with the kind words bestowed upon some departing friend, and opening the door of his office, stood in mute astonishment and horror in view of the cat-astrophe inside; for there, crazy with terror and rage at finding themselves shut up in a "strange garret," were nearly fifty of the little brutes, of all colors, kinds, sizes and conditions, spitting, fighting, yauling, squalling, jumping across desks, inverting the positions of inkstands, and scattering pens and stationery in all directions, and occasionally flying at the windows in a vain attempt to escape. As the coin keeper stood looking at the pandemonium within, his countenance alternating between red rage and pale terror, his indignation reached its climax when the boys, thrusting their hands forward, stated the contract, and made a demand on him of four bits per head for each cat. He gasped for words to pour forth a torrent of invective, but overcome by what appeared to him to be impudence added to outrage, he only remarked, with a glance into his office, "boys, you havn't brought enough for one shipment; I can't pay you until you make up a kear load." Of course people will not be rash about asking him the price of furs, for that question has been put to him so often upon the street corners that, although claiming to be a peaceable man, yet he kindly volunteers to thrash the next man who says "cats" to him.

RAILROAD MEETING.—At a meeting called by "Many Citizens," held on Monday evening, for the purpose of ascertaining whether the proposed Eastern Extension of the California Pacific Railroad was likely to start from or touch at Woodland, quite a large assemblage of citizens congregated and organized by calling C. S. Frost to act as Chairman, and W. A. Henry as Secretary. A Committee of leading citizens was appointed to confer with the railroad authorities, after which—that being the object of the call—the meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the Committee. We are unable to state the result of the conference, but learn that the Railroad Company is about to survey a line starting out from this place, and we sincerely hope this line will be fixed upon as the permanent location of the road—the *Mail's* report to the contrary notwithstanding.

THE DRAWING POSTPONED.—The management of the Woodland Gift Concert announces that in consequence of the numerous schemes of the same character gotten up in this State, it has been found necessary to establish agencies at the East, which necessarily consumed considerable time, and hence the drawing is postponed to the 16th of August. The Eastern agents are meeting with good success. Reports are daily being received from agents in all parts, and it is believed by the managers that not less than thirty thousand tickets have been disposed of up to this time, and that with the present facilities the drawing will come off on the 16th day of August.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.—The Republican Primaries for the election of delegates to another County Convention will be held in the different precincts of the county to-day. Of course it is useless to tell them so, but it is nevertheless entirely unnecessary to go to all that trouble. The Democracy have put up such a ticket as will win before the people by nearly two to one—both county and State. Still we hope all the forms will be gone through with by our Republican friends, as a show of opposition always has a wholesome influence in politics.

NO GENERAL CELEBRATION.—Our citizens have determined not to have a general celebration here on the Fourth. The residents at the county seat are *too poor* to stand the expense. We understand that the Fire Company will parade, and the Turn-Verin Society will also turn out. This doesn't speak very well for the liberality and patriotism of our citizens. But we conclude the decision was arrived at by the Committee in consequence of the neighboring towns of Davisville and Knight's Landing each having previously determined to celebrate.

IMPROVED O. R. M.—An election of officers of this order was held on Wednesday evening, when the following were chosen: Sachem, W. A. Henry; Senior Sagamore, D. M. Burns; Junior Sagamore, Wm. Saunders; Chief of Records, G. W. Green; Keeper of Wampum, A. G. Reed. W. A. Henry, D. M. Burns and Wm. Saunders, were elected to represent the tribe in the Grand Council at Sacramento some time in July.

RAILROAD SURVEYS.—The Surveying party of the Cal. P. R. R. Co. have run several different preliminary lines for the new extension, but so far as we can learn none of them are satisfactory. Woodland, being very nearly on a straight line between Davisville and Colusa, would seem to be the natural starting point. As to the actual intentions of the Company we can learn nothing.

OVER THE GRADE.—We learn that the wagon of our friend Eaton, in consequence of the brake getting out of order, went over the grade while crossing the range on his way to the springs. We are pleased to learn, however, that no one was seriously injured.

SUPERVISORS.—The Board will meet on Monday next, but as the Fourth occurs on Tuesday probably the Board will meet on Monday and adjourn till Wednesday.

IRRIGATING CANAL.—Several prominent citizens of the county have commenced the project of an irrigating canal for Capay Valley, the preliminary survey for which has already been completed. From the head to the lower end of the valley there is a fall of some 200 feet. The intention is to make a canal some 20 feet wide and 2½ feet deep, which will convey water enough to abundantly irrigate the whole of Capay Valley. The estimated cost is $50,000, the principal outlay being for timber. The canal is to be finished this fall.

FIREMEN'S BALL.—The Grand Ball to be given by the Firemen in the evening, at Washington Hall, will be the great feature here on the Fourth. A large number of tickets have already been disposed of. From present indications the immense hall will be none too large to accommodate the throng that will attend to while away the evening in the fascinations of the mazy dance.

KEEP COOL.—We would earnestly advise the Democratic candidates, who are so coolly reviewed by the *Mail*, to keep as cool as possible under all the circumstances. Don't fly off in a tangent, as a collision might result, and if so you would dislike exceedingly to have to suffer the consequences.

HOT WEATHER.—Thursday was the hottest of the season, the thermometer ranging in the heat of the day as high as 106 in the shade. Towards evening a nice breeze sprung up and the night was comfortable. At Tehama on the same day the mercury marked 112 degrees.

I. O. O. F.—At an election of officers by Woodland Lodge, No. 111, on Saturday evening last the following were chosen for the ensuing term: L. Deitz, N. G.; J. B. Watkins, V. G.; Augustus Geary, R. Sec.; Trustees—D. M. Burns, R. H. Newton, L. Deitz.

POOR FELLOW.—The *Mail* man complains that seven of the sixteen Radical County Central Committeemen do not take his paper. What wonder? Give them a decently conducted and respectable paper and they will take it fast enough. "That's what's the matter."

WATER PIPES.—The Water Company is now engaged laying the pipes in our principal streets. The framework for the tank is up, over forty feet high, and soon the town will be supplied with good soft water.

OVERLOOKED.—In the hurry of going to press last week, the name of our worthy nominee for Representative in the Legislature, D. B. Sutton, was omitted from the list of candidates at the head of our columns.

POLL TAXES.—The Assessor informs us that poll taxes come in slowly and that after the 1st of August it will be his duty to charge the additional percentage. Before that time $4; after, $5. Choose ye.

ANOTHER RADICAL ROW.—Was there ever such a party for quarrelling as the present Radicals? The fight between Boutwell and Pleasanton still goes on, waxing hotter the longer it runs. It is now said that the President has taken a hand in, siding with Boutwell, who is the "big fish" of the two, and that Pleasanton will be "allowed to resign the Commissionership," that is, he will be gobbled up.

For the very best Photographs, go to BRADLEY & RULOFSON, No. 429 Montgomery Street, San Francisco. ☞Closed on Sundays.☜

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A single trial will convince the most skeptical of the efficacy of HELMBOLD'S GRAPE PILLS in Sick or Nervous Headache, Jaundice, Indigestion, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Liver Complaints, General Debility, &c. No nausea, no griping pains, but mild, pleasant and safe in operation. Children take them with impunity. They are the best and most reliable. HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT SARSAPARILLA creates new, fresh and healthy blood, beautifies the complexion, and imparts a youthful appearance, dispelling pimples, blotches, moth patches and all eruptions of the skin.

ARREST that terrible Catarrh, and thus avoid a consumptive grave by using Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It's not warrented to cure Consumption when the lungs are half consumed, nor to make men live forever, nor to make this earth a blissful Paradise, to which heaven would be but a side show, but the proprietor will pay 500 reward for a case of Catarrh which he cannot cure. Sold by druggists, or send sixty cents to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 133 Seneca street Buffalo, N. Y., and receive it by mail.

OLD PREJUDICES ARE DYING OUT. New facts are killing them. The idea that invalids weakened by disease can be relieved by prostrating them with destructive drugs, is no longer entertained except by monomaniacs. Ever since the introduction of Dr. Walker's Vinegar Bitters, it hasbeen obvious that their regulating and invigorating properties are all-sufficient for the cure of chronic indigestion, rheumatism, constipation, diarrhœa, nervous affections and malarious fevers, and they are now the strndard remedy for these complaints in every section of the Union.

PAIN-KILLER PROP. PERRY DAVIS & SON PROVIDENCE R.I. 1840 1870

The "PAIN KILLER" may justly be styled the great medicine of the world, for there is no region of the globe into which it has not found its way, and been largely used and highly prized. Moreover, there is no clime to which it has not proved to be well adapted for the cure of a considerable variety of diseases; it is a speedy and safe remedy for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, wounds and various other injuries, as well as for dysentery, diarrhœa and bowel complaints generally, it is admirably suited for every race of men on the globe.

It is a very significant fact, that notwithstanding the long period of years that the "Pain Killer" has been before the world, it has never lost one whit of its popularity, but, on the contrary, the call for it has steadily increased, from its first discovery, and at no previous time has the demand for it been so great, or the quantity made been so large, as it is to-day.

Another significant fact is, that nowhere has the Pain Killer ever been in higher repute, or been more generally used by families and individuals, than it has been here at home, where it was first discovered and introduced. That the Pain Killer will continue to be, what we have styled it, the great medicine of the world, there cannot be the shadow of a doubt. —[Providence Advertiser.

A Chapter of Facts.

Space is valuable in a newspaper, and it is therefore proposed in this advertisement to condense a variety of facts important to the public into a small compass. Those facts relate to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters—what that celebrated medicine is, and what it will do. In the first place, then, the article is a stimulant, tonic and alterative, consisting of a combination of an absolutely pure spiritous agent with the most valuable medicinal vegetable substances that Botanical research has placed at the disposal of the chemist and the physician. These ingredients are compounded with great care, and in such proportions as to produce a preparation which invigorates without exciting the general system, and tones, regulates and controls the stomach, the bowels, the liver, and the minor secretive organs.

What this great restorative will do must be gathered from what it has done. The case of dyspepsia, or any other form of indigestion, in which it has been persistently administered without effecting a radical cure, is yet to be heard from, and the same may be said of bilious disorders, intermittent fever, nervous affections, general debility, constipation, sick headache, mental disabilities to which the feeble are so subject. It purifies all the fluids of the body, including the blood, and the gentle stimulous which it imparts to the nervous system is not succeeded by the slightest reaction. This is a chapter of facts which readers, for their own sakes, should mark and remember.

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

We take pleasure in announcing to the public that we are now fully prepared to supply all our patrons

Cheaper than Ever!

With all kinds of

FANCY AND DRESS GOODS!

CONSISTING OF

POPLINS,
ALPACAS,
LAWNS,
CHAMBRAS,
MARSAILES,
GINGHAMS,
SWISS,
DELAINS,
DRESS LINENS,
FRENCH CALICOS,
PRINTS,
TABLE LINEN,
MUSLINS,
SUMMER SHAWLS,
CUFFS AND COLLARS,
TIDIES,
PARASOLS,
HOSIERY,
GLOVES,
CORSETS.

We call particular attention to our stock of

CLOTHING

—AND—

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS and CAPS,

Etc., Etc.,

Which we are selling CHEAPER than ever before offered in Yolo County.

JACOBS, MEYERSON & CO.,

MAIN STREET, (opp. the College), WOODLAND.

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Silk and Lama Lace Shawls,
Circulars and Sacques,
Shetland Shawls,
Arab Shawls,
Broche Shawls,
Scotch Plaid Wool Shawls,
Black Cashmere Shawls, &c.,

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DRY GOODS HOUSE,

SACRAMENTO.

C. H. GILMAN,

198 J Street, bet. 7th and 8th,

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Spring and Summer

DRY GOODS,

Fancy Goods,

Trimmings,

Laces,

Etc.,

WHERE YOU CAN SAVE 50 PER CT.

By taking a Pleasure Trip to our beautiful city and buying your Spring and Summer outfit. You can have them cut, fitted and made in the best of style, in store on second floor.

☞We have beautiful POPLINS, CHENEYS and ALPACAS, all colors, for 25 cents, worth 50 cents per yard. In fact we have every thing usually kept in a first class house.

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198 J St., bet. 7th and 8th.

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NEW STOCK

—OF—

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

AS ALL ARE SUFFERING FROM DROUTH,

We will Sell Goods

From this day

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

On all bills of Goods amounting to Five Dollars or over, for which CASH is paid, we will allow a

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$100,000 GIFT CONCERT!

THE WOODLAND

BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION

WILL GIVE A

GRAND GIFT CONCERT!

—AT—

Washington Hall,

WOODLAND, YOLO COUNTY, CAL.,

Wednesday, August 16, 1871,

IN AID OF THE

Public School, Fire Department, Masonic, Odd Fellows', Druids', and Good Templars'

BUILDING FUNDS.

1,143 GIFTS!

Will be distributed to Ticket holders, AMOUNTING TO

$100,000!

75,000 Tickets at $2 50 each.

LIST OF PRIZES:

1 Gift gold coin	$20,000
1 Gift gold coin	10,000
1 Gift gold coin	5,000
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1 Gift gold coin	750
1 Gift gold coin	600
20 Gifts gold coin, $500 each	10,000
1 Gift gold coin	450
1 Gift gold coin	350
1 Gift gold coin	250
2 Gifts gold coin, $200 each	400
100 Gifts gold coin, $100 each	10,000
200 Gifts gold coin, $50 each	10,000
400 Gifts gold coin, $25 each	10,000
400 Gifts gold coin, $20 each	8,000
1,143 Gifts, amounting to	$100,000

In addition to the above Gifts, DONATIONS will be made for the following purposes:

1st—The amount required to build a Public School House.
2d—To establish a Fire Department.
3d To aid the Masonic Building Fund.
4th—To aid the Odd Fellows' Building Fund.
5th—To aid the Druids' Building Fund.
6th to aid the Good Templars' Building Fund.

ALL MONEYS

WILL BE DEPOSITED WITH THE

BANK OF WOODLAND,

And through it the distribution of Gifts will be made.

☞The drawing will be conducted same as the "Mercantile Library Gift Concert," of San Francisco.

Persons at a distance can obtain tickets by sending check on Bank of Woodland, or coin by Wells Fargo & Co.

☞Good responsible Agents wanted, 20 per cent. commission allowed on fifty or more tickets.

Address all orders to

ARONSON, DEITZ & CO.,
GENERAL MANAGERS,
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COMPOUND SARSAPARILLA

The Safest and Best

BLOOD PURIFIER

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A Certain cure for Rheumatic and Mercurial affections, Scrofula or King's Evil, Salt Rheum, White Swellings, Tumors, Ulceration of the Bones, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Neuralgia, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Female Weakness and Obstructions, and all the

Diseases arising from an Impure State of the Blood

This preparation is absolutely free from any Mercurial or Poisonous substance. It is prepared after careful experiment and a long and wide experience in observing the effect of the different ingredients. It possesses the priceless quality of effecting by its quiet and gentle action a gradual and thorough Purification of the blood. The strongest will find it a searching and

INFALLIBLE CURE.

The most delicate female or child can take it with impunity, and the remarkable success attending its use warrants the Proprietor in claiming it as the best family remedy in use.

Dyspepsia and Constipation

Are immediately relieved by this compound; its steady and gentle operation gives nature the required assistance, and in a short time the organs are sufficiently invigorated to perform their functions without artificial aid.

AS A SPRING MEDICINE

IT IS INVALUABLE,

Removing that sluggish, dull feeling which the winter often leaves in the system, banishing all skin eruptions and making the complexion clear and bright.

Put up in quart bottles. Sold by all dealers. Sole Proprietors,

CHARLES LANGLEY & CO.,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
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GO TO S. HYMAN'S!

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS!

I take pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Woodland and vicinity that I have

RENOVATED MY STORE,

On Main street, and have

An Entire New Stock

OF

Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Boots and Shoes,
Groceries, etc., etc.,

Which I will sell at the

LOWEST PRICES.

PLEASE COME
AND EXAMINE
MY NEW STOCK.

Parties who have not received courteous treatment formerly will now have every attention paid to them.

No Trouble to Show Goods!

CHEAPER
THAN
EVER!!

Remember— SELIG HYMAN,

At the Old Stand, Main Street, Woodland.
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NEW FURNITURE STORE.

The undersigned have opened a Furniture Store in Woodland, and solicit the patronage of those in want of

Household Furniture,
Spring Mattresses,
Lounges, etc.

Furniture Repaired and Varnished!

N. B. Having purchased a fine Hearse for the purpose of carrying on the UNDERTAKING business, we are prepared to furnish Coffins, and conduct Funerals in the best manner, with promptness, and at reasonable rates. Our place of business is on Main street, opposite the College.

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Yolo Feed and Livery Stable,

Main street, near the Railroad, WOODLAND.

Saddle Horses, double and single Buggy Teams, let on reasonable terms. Horses boarded and groomed by the day, week, or month, at lower rates than ever before charged in Woodland.

Horses kept to Hay and Grain, over night, for Seventy-five Cents per Head!

ap10-3m W. J. ROBERTS, Proprietor.

Established 1849.

ERNEST A. ERLANDSON,

PRODUCE

Commission Merchant,

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N. B.—California Produce, Wheat and all kinds of Grain, Flour, etc., solicited on Consignment.

☞P. S.—Mr. E. has respectable business connections in all the principal commercial cities in the world. mh31f

WM. TELL RESTAURANT

AND

LODGING HOUSE.

Board and Lodging $6 per week. Single rooms 50 cents per night.

Every attention will be paid to the patrons of this House, and the cooking will be under the immediate supervision of the proprietor.

Best French Claret and California Wines, Cigars, etc., etc.

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RUGGLES & MACHEFERT,

WATCHMAKERS

—AND—

JEWELERS.

Largest assortment of

Jewelry,
Clocks,
Watches,
Plated Goods.

ALSO,

BOOKS,

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

AND FANCY GOODS,

Lamps and Trimmings,

Guns and Ammunition,

Pistols and Knives.

Agents for the

Florence Sewing Machine.

POSTOFFICE BUILDING,

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CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY!

C. ELLIOTT,

WOODLAND.

Great Reduction in Prices.

BY THE USE OF MY

Patent Wood & Rubber Spring,

I offer Reduction in the Wages of Mechanics and the Prices of Materials,

can afford to and will sell BUGGIES and SPRING WAGONS 30 to 50 per cent less than I did one year ago.

ONE HUNDRED BUGGIES

On hand and in course of construction, prices from $150 to $450.

Seventy-three Spring Wagons

On hand and in course of construction, prices from $125 to $300.

Wagons built with the Wood Spring considerably cheaper than those built with Steel Springs, and they are neater looking, 50 to 100 lbs lighter, strong and durable; besides they are simple in construction and not so liable to get out of repair as other makes.

Header and Lumber Wagons

On hand and built to order; prices $115 to $225.

BUGGY REPAIRING,

Trimming and Painting done to order.

☞CHARGES REASONABLE.☜

Three Harrows, one Peoria Plow, one Cultivator and Weed Cutter for sale very cheap.

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C. D. MORIN,

—DEALER IN—

STOVES!

METAL, HARDWARE,

—AND—

House Furnishing Goods,

Also manufacturer of

Tin, Copper, and Sheet-Iron Ware,

Returns thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, and calls the attention of his customers to the fact that he has enlarged and improved his business to suit their wants, in every particular.

PATENT PUMPS

Kept constantly on hand

LIFTING PUMPS,

of all descriptions, made and repaired, and particular attention given to

Well-Boring!

Boring Tools furnished to customers free of charge. Tin Roofing done in the most scientific manner. Old Roofs Repaired, and job work done on short notice. All kinds of stock furnished, and work performed at

REDUCED PRICES!

☞Orders from the country promptly attended to.

☞Shop on Main street, next door to Gray & Wood's store. my1-3m

DR. PIERCE'S ALTERATIVE GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY

The originator of this wonderful medicine, claims to have discovered and combined in harmony more of nature's most sovereign medical properties than was ever before combined in one medicine. The evidence of this fact is found in the great variety of most obstinate diseases which it has been found to conquer. In the cure of Bronchitis, Severe Coughs, and the early stages of Consumption, it has astonished the medical faculty, and hundreds of the best physicians pronounce it the greatest medical discovery of the age. While it cures the severest Coughs, it strengthens the system and purifies the blood. By its great and thorough blood purifying properties, it cures all Humors from the worst Scrofula to a common Blotch, Pimple or Eruption. Mercurial Diseases, Mineral Poisons, Syphilitic and Venerial Diseases, and their effects are eradicated and vigorous health and a sound constitution established. Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Fever Sores, Scaly or Rough Skin, in short, all the numerous diseases caused by bad blood, are conquered by this powerful, purifying and invigorating medicine. For Liver Complaint, Bilious Disorders and Habitual Constipation, it has produced hundreds of perfect and permanent cures where other medicines have failed.

The proprietor offers $1,000 reward for a medicine that will equal it in the cure of all the diseases for which it is recommended. Beware of counterfeits and worthless imitations. See that my private Government Stamp, which is a positive guarantee of Genuineness, is upon the outside wrapper. This medicine is Sold by Druggists at $1.00 per bottle. Prepared by R. V. Pierce, M. D., Sole Proprietor, at his Chemical Laboratory, 133 Seneca Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

PASTURAGE.

INQUIRE OF

C. H. GRAY.

Woodland, May 12th, 1871. my6-tf

A. & T. PORTER,

Dealers in all kinds of

FAMILY GROCERIES

AND PROVISIONS,

Fruits and Vegetables,

FLOUR AND MEAL,

DAIRY PRODUCE, ETC., ETC.,

In the new brick building, opposite the College, Main street, Woodland.

HAVING REMOVED

From the old store into our New and spacious brick block; we are now better than ever prepared to supply families and the public with everything in the way of provisions. We have a large and carefully selected stock of

GROCERIES,

To which we ask the attention of this community, believing that it cannot be surpassed in Yolo county. A full assortment of

VEGETABLES

Will be found with us at all times, and we shall keep fully up to the market in this department of our trade.

FRUITS.

Will receive special attention and the choicest qualities be kept on hand, fresh, throughout the season of each variety.

Poultry and Eggs

Will be a leading feature of our establishment, and customers will be supplied with any number or quantity they may desire.

BUTTER AND CHEESE

Are particularly in our line, and purchasers can rely upon getting the best the market affords. But we cannot enumerate all our different kinds of goods in an advertisement.

We shall keep a complete stock of goods on hand and sell at fair prices; therefore we ask a share of patronage from the people of Woodland and vicinity, guaranteeing entire satisfaction to all who favor us with their trade.

A. & T. PORTER,

jy1-3m Opposite College, Main st., Woodland.

WOODLAND

FISH AND

VEGETABLE MARKET

Washington Block, Main street.

J. G. SCHWALM,

Dealer in all kinds of

GROCERIES:

Tea,
Coffee,
Sugar,
Butter,
Cheese,
Eggs,
Ham,
Bacon,
Pork,

DUTCH HERRINGS, RUSSIAN CAVIAR, &c.

Preserved Fruits,

Of every description. Also, the Choicest BRANDIES, WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.

Depot of National Brewery.

LAGER BEER 15 cts. per Bottle, 15 cts. per Quart, and 5 cts. per Glass.

A variety of FRESH FISH every Thursday.

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THE NEW FOOD.

For a few cents you can buy of your Grocer or Druggist a package of SEA MOSS FARINE made from pure Irish Moss or Carrageen, which will make sixteen quarts of Blanc Mange, and a like quantity of Puddings Custards, Creams, Charlotte Russe, &c. It is the cheapest, healthiest and most delicious food in the world. It makes a splendid Dessert, and has no equal as a light and delicate food for Invalids and Children.

A Glorious Change!!

THE GREAT WORLD'S TONIC.

Plantation Bitters.

This wonderful vegetable restorative is the sheet-anchor of the feeble and debilitated. As a tonic and cordial for the aged and languid, it has no equal among stomachics. As a remedy for the nervous weakness to which women are especially subject, it is superseding every other stimulant. In all climates, tropical, temperate, or frigid, it acts as a specific in every species of disorder which undermines the bodily strength and breaks down the animal spirits. For sale by all druggists.

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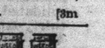

THE NEW WEED SEWING MACHINES

ARE THE BEST BECAUSE THEY ARE the latest. They combine the advantages of all others. Their sales throughout the world have increased with unparalleled rapidity, and they have taken the highest Public Premiums ever given to Sewing Machines. Call and see or address

S. E. HOAR,

329 Kearny Street, San Francisco,

For prices and samples of work. ap6-3m

The Yolo Democrat.

[Written for THE YOLO DEMOCRAT.]

A FAIR MAIDEN.

I once knew a maiden with soft auburn hair,
And her cheeks, like roses, were indeed very fair;
All her movements were graceful and charming to see,
And her eyes were as lovely as lovely can be.
Her form was well rounded, her hands they were white;
And her nice even teeth were uncommonly bright,
And the voice she possessed was of value untold
When it came from her lips in a musical roll.

She'd a sweet disposition, was loving to all,
To the rich and the poor, the great and the small;
And if you would chance to call in for awhile
You'd find her face always lit up with a smile.
But now this fair maiden is married and gone
Far away from the place that she used to call home.
Married! ah yes, it is true, it is true;
But who did she marry? I know, do you?

Miscellaneous Items.

EDWIN CROSWELL, formerly the able and distinguished editor of the Albany, New York, *Argus*, died on the 15th ult.

THOS. P. STONEY has been nominated for County Judge by the Democrats of Napa County. F. E. Johnston has received the nomination for District Attorney.

A TREMENDOUS hailstorm visited the interior of New York on the 15th inst., doing great damage to crops and fruit trees. In the town of Beekman, Dutchess county, whole fields of grain were destroyed, and apple and cherry trees entirely stripped of their fruit.

SAYS the Los Angeles *Star*, of June 16th, the exporting of mocking birds has become a very lucrative business in this city, nearly four hundred of which were sent to the upper country during the past month, netting to the person disposing of them about $1,300.

A COLORED minister, while preaching in the open air at Pine Bluff, Arkansas, a few days since, was stricken dead by lightning. On the following day, while his body was on the way to the grave, the coffin in which he lay was stricken by lightning and shattered to pieces.

A MICHIGAN paper announces that one of the noble army of martyrs who face death on the flying trapeze made a miscalculation while performing at Saginaw the other night, and fell a distance of fifteen feet, nearly crushing the breath out of the talented leader of the orchestra, and rendering the first violin a wreck.

THE *Star* says that there is an English walnut tree in Los Angeles, the body of which, at four feet from the ground, girths upwards of seven feet, and from the extremety of the limbs on the north to that of those of the south, the distance is fifty-seven feet, and from east to west the limbs extend sixty-seven feet.

THE schooner *Sea Nymph* arrived on Friday last, with a cargo of 7,628 seal skins: the market value of which is $80,000. They will be forwarded to Europe as soon as possible. The *Sea Nymph* was gone three months, and will return in a few days to the Asiatic coast, where 5,000 skins are expected to be in readiness for her second cargo.

THE sugar interest of Louisiana, which was almost annihilated during the war, is again rising to prominence. In 1861 the yield was 449,410 hogsheads; in 1864 it was but 6,598 hogsheads, and from that time it gradually rose until in 1869 it was 87,000. This year's crop is expected about 130,000 hogsheads, which is more than a fair average yield.

THE San Francisco *Bulletin* says: There are short crops in many places; but in many counties along the coast there is an average crop. Now, when account is taken of the prices products are bringing, and are likely to bring, we doubt that if in any previous year the aggregate crops of the State would bring as much ready money as they will this year.

THE Chicago *Tribune* asks and receives $22,000 for a column of advertisements one year. The business men of Chicago are keen to pay it. There is one house in Cincinatti that pays $4,000 a week for advertising; there are several in Cleveland, even, that pay as high as $10,000 a year. Somehow those men don't break up; a liberal advertiser never does.

PREVIOUS to the settlement of California, singing birds, fragrant flowers, and honey bees were not to be found in the country. Now, however, in all parts of the State there are many varieties of singing birds, like the mocking bird, bobolink, larks, linnets, thrushes, Baltimore oriole, and the common robin. The forests are filled with the honey-bee, and as for fragrant flowers, California claims to beat the world.

DOINGS OF FIFTY YEARS.—Some of our readers who have lived fifty years may be glad to know what they have accomplished in that time. According to a French statistician, the average man has, at that age, slept 6,000 days, worked 6,500, walked 800 days, amused himself 4,000 days, spent 1,500 in eating, and been sick 500 days. He has eaten 17,000 pounds of bread, 16,000 pounds of meat, 4,000 pounds of vegetables, fish, etc., drank 7,000 gallons of liquids. There are 18,250 days in a half century, and from the above statement it would seem that a man slept just one third of the time.

FRUIT INSTEAD OF MEDICINE.—There is no doubt but that the free use of fruit is highly conducive to health, and, indeed, almost indispensable to it. The various fevers and billious disorders prevalent in the Summer seasons, are more owing to the want of it than to any other cause. And not until fruit is generally cultivated, and used as an article of diet, shall we be rid of those disorders which are sapping the life fountains of thousands annually. And if fruit were administered in many cases as an article of medicine, instead of the physician's prescription, we have no doubt it would be far better for the patient.

SENATOR TRUMBULL, of Illinois, though so long a Radical, has at last wearied of the revolutionary course of his party, and abandoned it. He says: "The question is whether we are to revolutionize this government and no longer have a Republic composed of separate States, but a centralized, consolidated Government—to strike out thirty-seven stars and have but one." Why is it that such men as Trumbull of Illinois, and Carl Schurz of Missouri, are so opposed to the administration and its present course, unless there is something wrong—something which as lovers of a Republican form of Government, they cannot support. They certainly have been good Republican party men and as they had every thing to lose and nothing to gain by opposition, why should they have done so?

(OFFICIAL.)

State of California---Department of State.

I, H. L. NICHOLS, Secretary of the State of California, do hereby certify that the annexed is a true, full and correct copy of Chapter Four Hundred and Forty-four, Statutes of California, Eighteenth Session; approved April 2d, 1870, now on file in my office.

Witness my hand and the great seal of State, at office, in Sacramento, California, the 25th day of May, A. D. 1871.

(SEAL.)

H. L. NICHOLS,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the funded indebtedness of the State of California, and to contract a funded debt for that purpose.

[Approved, April 2, 1870.]

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. For the purpose of liquidating and providing for the payment of the funded indebtedness of the State of California hereinafter specified, and to lessen the burden of taxation, the Governor of the State, the Controller of State and the Treasurer of State, and their successors in office, shall constitute a Board of Commissioners, to be styled the Loan Commissioners of the State of California, and shall have and exercise the powers and perform the duties hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. The said Loan Commissioners are hereby authorized to issue and sell not exceeding three millions seven hundred thousand dollars of the bonds of said State, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, which interest shall be payable semi-annually, in gold coin, on the second days in January and July in each year, at the office of the Treasurer of State. The principal of said bonds shall be made payable in gold coin within twenty years after the date of their issue, and shall be of such denominations as the said Loan Commissioners shall direct, but not less than five hundred dollars; shall bear the date of their issue, and shall be signed by the said Loan Commissioners, and shall have the seal of the State affixed thereto; and the faith of the State of California is hereby pledged for the payment of said bonds and the interest accruing thereon as herein provided.

Sec. 3. Coupons for the interest shall be attached to each bond so that they may be removed without injury or mutilation to the bond; said coupons, consecutively numbered, shall be signed by the Treasurer of the State.

Sec. 4. Before the sale of any of said bonds the said Loan Commissioners shall cause notices of such sale to be published, for the space of one month in three daily newspapers published in English, one in the City of New York, one in the City of London, in England, and one in the Capital of the State; in and for the space of one month in a daily newspaper published in French, in the City of Paris, in France, and for the space of one month in a daily newspaper published in German, in the City of Frankfort-on-the-Main, in Germany. Such notice shall specify the amount of bonds to be sold, the rate of interest they shall bear, the day and hour of sale, which shall be at the State Capital, and that sealed proposals will be received by the said Loan Commissioners for the purchase of such bonds. Within one month from the expiration of such publication, and on the day and hour named in said notice, the said Loan Commissioners shall open all sealed proposals received by them, and shall award the purchase of said bonds to such bidders as will, in their opinion, make the most advantageous bid for the State; *provided*, that said Loan Commissioners may reject any or all bids, if they deem it to the advantage of the State; and *provided* further, that they may refuse to make any award unless sufficient security shall be furnished by the bidders for the compliance with the terms of their bids; and *provided* further that said bonds shall not be sold at less than ninety-one cents on the dollar, in gold coin, par value.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer and Controller of State each to keep a separate record of all bonds sold under the provisions of this Act, showing the number, date, amount and rate of interest of each bond, and to whom the same was issued.

Sec. 6. The sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund for the payment of the expense that may be incurred by the Loan Commissioners in having such bonds prepared and said notices published.

Sec. 7. The proceeds of such bonds shall be paid into the State Treasury and shall be applied to the payment of the following bonds, in the order of their issuance:

First—The outstanding bonds issued under the Act entitled an Act to provide for certain equitable claims against the State of California, and to contract a funded debt for that purpose, approved April twenty-eight eighteen hundred and fifty-seven.

Second—The outstanding bonds issued under the Act of eighteen hundred and sixty.

Third—the outstanding soldiers' relief bonds.

Fourth—The outstanding soldiers' bounty bonds.

Sec. 8. All persons having any of the bonds specified in section seven of this Act shall, upon presentation of such bonds to the said Loan Commissioners, be entitled to exchange them at their par value for bonds authorized to be issued under this Act, at the rate of ninety-three cents on the dollar, par value, but no bond shall be issued for a less sum than five hundred dollars, nor for a fractional part of a hundred dollars, but the said Loan Commissioners may issue certificates of such fractional parts not bonded, which said certificate shall be transferable and entitled to be paid out of the proceeds of the sales of any bonds provided for in section seven of this Act. The Loan Commissioners shall cancel each bond so exchanged, and shall indorse on such bond the date on which they received the same, and from whom, the number and amount of the bond issued in exchange therefor, and shall file such bond in the office of the Secretary of State.

Sec. 9. Whenever there shall be in the State Treasury, from the proceeds of the sale of bonds issued under this Act, a sum of ten thousand dollars or more, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to advertise in two newspapers, printed in English, one in New York and one in the Capital of the State, for two months, which advertisement shall state the amount of money in the treasury applicable to the redemption of bonds, and the number of bonds, numbering therein the order of their issuance, which are redeemable; and three months from the date of the expiration of such advertisement, such bonds, unless sooner paid, shall cease to draw interest, but the money for the redemption of such bonds shall remain in the treasury to pay such bonds whenever presented.

Sec. 10. For the payment within twenty years of the principal and interest of the bonds issued under this Act, there shall be and is hereby levied annually, after the bonds have been issued under this Act, such rate or tax on each one hundred dollars of the assessed value of real and personal property in the State, to be computed by the Controller of State on the basis of the assessed value of such property for the preceding year, as shall produce annually, for the first five years, seven per centum of the amount of such bonds issued; for the next ten years thereafter, twelve per centum of the amount of such bonds issued, and thereafter, until all the bonds issued under this Act are paid, fifteen per centum of the amount of such bonds issued. The Controller shall certify the rate of tax thus computed by him to the several County Auditors, and the said Auditors are hereby directed and required to enter such rate on the assessment rolls of their respective counties, in the same manner and with the same effect as is provided by law in relation to other State taxes. Every tax levied under the provisions or authority of this Act is hereby made a lien against the property assessed, which lien shall attach on the first Monday in March in each year, and shall not be satisfied or removed until such tax has been paid. All moneys derived from taxes authorized by the provisions of this section shall be paid into the State treasury, and shall be applied—

First—To the payment of the interest on the bonds issued by the provisions of this Act.

Second—To the payment of the principal of such bonds.

Provided, that all moneys remaining in the State treasury on the third day of January, in each year, for the first five years after the issuance of any bonds under this Act, after all the interest on such bonds then due has been paid, shall be transferred by the Treasurer of State to the General Fund.

Sec. 11. Whenever, on the third day of January or July, in any year, after the expiration of five years from the date of issuance of any bonds under this Act, there remains, after the payment of the interest, as provided in the preceeding section, a surplus of ten thousand dollars or more, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to advertise, for the space of one month, in one daily newspaper, published in English, in the City of New York, and for one month, in one daily newspaper, published in English, at the State Capital, for sealed proposals, to be opened one month after the expiration of such publication by the Treasurer, in presence of the Governor or Controller, at the State Capitol, for the surrender of bonds issued under this Act, which advertisement shall state the amount of money he has on hand for the purpose of redemption; and they shall accept the lowest proposals, at rates not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest amount of bonds, until the amount of cash on hand for the redemption is exausted; *provided*, however, in case a sufficient amount of such bonds shall not be offered, as aforesaid, to exhaust the Sinking Fund to a less amount than ten thousand dollars, then it is hereby made the duty of the Treasurer to advertise in two newspapers, one in New York and one at the Capital of this State, for three months, which advertisement shall state the amount in the Sinking Fund, and the number of bonds, numbering them in the order of their issuance, which such fund is set apart to pay and discharge; and if such bond so numbered in such advertisement shall not be presented for payment and cancellation at the expiration of such publications, then such fund shall remain in the treasury to discharge such bonds whenever presented, but they shall draw no interest after the expiration of such publication; before any of said bonds shall be paid, they shall be presented to the Controller, who shall endorse on each bond the amount due thereon, and shall write across the face of each bond the date of its surrender and the name of the person surrendering.

Sec. 12. The Treasurer of State shall keep a full and particular account and record of all his proceedings under this Act, and of the bonds redeemed and surrendered, and he shall transmit to the Governor an abstract of all his proceedings under this Act, with his annual report, to be by the Governor laid before the Legislature; and all books and papers pertaining to the matter provided for in this Act shall at all times be open to the inspection of any party interested, or the Governor or the Attorney General, or a committee of either branch of the Legislature, or a joint committee of both.

Sec. 13. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to pay the interest on said bonds, when the same falls due, out of said Interest Fund, if sufficient; and if said fund be not sufficient, then to pay the deficiency out of the General Fund; *provided*, that the Controller of State shall first draw his warrant on the Treasurer, payable to the order of said Treasurer, for the amount of interest money about to become due, which said interest warrant shall be drawn at least one month previous to the maturing of the interest.

Sec. 14. This Act shall take effect sixty days after the next general election, as to all the provisions, except those relating to and necessary for its submission to the people, and for returning, canvassing and proclaiming the votes, which shall take effect immediately.

Sec. 15. This Act shall be submitted to the people of the State for their ratification, at the next general election, and the qualified electors of this State shall, at said election, on their ballots for State officers, vote for or against this Act; those voting for the same shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Refund the Debt—Yes," and those voting against the same shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Refund the Debt—No."

Sec. 16. The votes cast for and against this Act shall be counted, returned and cancelled, and declared in the same manner and subject to the same rules as votes cast for the Treasurer of State, and if it appears that a majority of all the votes so cast for or against this law, as aforesaid, are in favor of this Act, then the same shall have effect as hereinbefore provided, and shall be irrepealable until the principal and interest of the liabilities herein created shall be paid and discharged, and the Governor shall make proclamation hereof; but if a majority of the votes so cast are against this Act, then the same shall become void.

Sec. 17. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to have this Act published in one newspaper in each judicial district of this State, for three months next preceding the next general election, for which publication no greater allowance shall be made than the rates allowed by law to the State Printer. [je3

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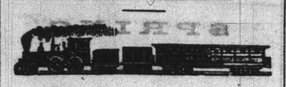

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